CHAPTER 3 SECTION 1.2A

GENERAL SURGERY

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I. CPT¹ PROCEDURE CODES

10021, 10022

II. DESCRIPTION

This new subsection was added to conform to the CPT manual, which relocated procedure codes that were located in the Pathology and Laboratory section of the CPT manual.

III. POLICY

Fine needle aspiration, with or without imaging guidance, is a covered benefit.

NOTE: For fine needle aspiration, use CPT¹ procedure code 10021. For image guided breast biopsy, see CPT¹ procedure codes 19102, 19103, 10022.

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